



500 TROOPS GO DOWN WHEN TURK TRANSPORT HITS MINE IN OCEAN

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BLOCKADE WILL NOT RESULT SERIOUSLY

General Feeling in Greece Is That Serious Consequences Will Be Avoided; Satisfactory Agreement Regarding Treatment of Troops in Macedonia Is Reported by London; Serbs Win Big Victory Over Bulgars

A Turkish transport struck a mine in the sea of Marmara and sank with the loss of nearly all the 500 troops on board according to news agency advices received in London.

Important progress for the Italians on the Isonzo front in their stubborn struggle for Gorizia is announced by Rome. Substantial gains are reported on the heights northwest of the city, the ground taken being held despite desperate counter attacks by the Austrians.

Further advances also are reported by the Italians on the Carso Plateau, the advantages recently gained on Monte San Michele having been immediately followed up.

The Austrians were dislodged from trench after trench in this region, it is declared.

News in confirmation of the report that the Serbians have won an important victory over the Bulgarians near Leskovatz on the main line railroad south of Nish, comes from the Serbian minister at Athens, a Paris dispatch states.

Notwithstanding the situation created by the announcement that a commercial blockade of Greece by the entente powers has been instituted, an Athens dispatch received by a Paris newspaper declares the general feeling in Greece is that serious consequences will be avoided.

London has the report that a basis of agreement satisfactory to the allies regarding the possible treatment by Greece of their troops in Macedonia already has been reported.

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GIRL DISAPPEARS FROM HOME ON HILL WHILE LL

Police of Two Cities Seek Miss Frances Ramsay, 12 Evergreen Street



MISS FRANCES C. RAMSAY

The police departments of this city and Philadelphia are sparing no effort in attempts to locate Miss Frances C. Ramsay, of 12 Evergreen street, who disappeared completely a week ago to-day. Suffering from nervous disability and mental depression, she left her home last Monday afternoon and was traced to Philadelphia, where no further knowledge of her whereabouts could be obtained.

3 Christmas Trees at Disposal of Harrisburg Celebration Committee

It is understood that three large trees have been placed at the disposal of the Municipal Christmas Tree Committee for this year's celebration. One tree, it is said, is growing back of Dauphin; the others are on the first and second mountains of the city.

Insane Asylum Inmate Slays Another; Coroner to Hold Inquest Tonight

William Rapp, a Chambersburg inmate at the State Hospital for the Insane, was found dead this morning. According to the story given Coroner Jacob Eckinger, J. W. Graff, another inmate, killed Rapp. The body will be held in the office of Dr. J. Harvey Miller who made a post mortem examination. He will report at an inquest to be held to-night at 7:30 o'clock.

Rotary Club to Have Christmas Tree; Will Give Gifts to Poor

The Harrisburg Rotary Club will have a Christmas tree with presents for each of the members. The meeting will be held on December 21 at the Harrisburg Public Library and luncheon in connection therewith. But better than all that, each member will bring with him to that meeting a basket of provisions and Christmas cheer for the poor of the city. "We don't want your money," said President Arthur D. Bacon in making the announcement to-day at the noon luncheon in the Senate Hotel. "What we want is your basket, bought by you, selected by you and with your own Christmas spirit displayed therein." J. Raymond Hoffert and George Bogar will superintend the distribution of the Christmas baskets on Christmas morning.

Trial of Germans Charged With Defrauding U. S. Opens

New York, Nov. 22.—The opening session to-day of the trial of Karl Buentz, managing director of the Hamburg-American line, and three other officials of the line, under indictment on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government was devoted to selecting a jury before Federal Judge Howe. The government alleges that the defendants secured false clearance papers for steamers sailing from New York with supplies for German sea raiders in the Atlantic during the early part of the war. The trial is the first important one in connection with the various conspiracy charges made against German and Austrian agents in this country.

COLUMBIA READY TO ENTERTAIN BIG CROWD THURSDAY

Thirteen Fire Companies and Thirteen Bands in Holiday Parade

FANTASTICS AT NIGHT

Committees in Hustling Borough Work Hard For Success of Event

By Robert F. Gorman Columbia, Pa., Nov. 22.—Final plans for one of the biggest celebrations ever held in this bustling, wide-awake borough are now nearing completion and when the great day, Thursday, arrives the town's people will be ready to entertain thousands of visitors.

Dr. Conwell to Give His "Acres of Diamonds" Lecture Here Dec. 18

Dr. Russell H. Conwell will give his "Acres of Diamonds" lecture under the auspices of the Harrisburg Academy at the Technical high school on Saturday evening, December 18. This lecture has been given more than 5,200 times and Dr. Conwell has received over \$4,000,000 in the time during which he has devoted his energies to it.

Student Killed When Auto Turns Turtle on Way Home From Game

Easton, Pa., Nov. 22.—George V. M. Jones, of Dover, Delaware, a Lafayette College student, instantly killed and Alvan Smith Hutchison, of Bay, N. Y., one of Jones' classmates, was painfully injured late last night, when their automobile overturned on a curve near Bethlehem, about 12 miles from this city. Jones was pinned under the car and his neck was fractured.

Noted Negro Scholar Addresses People's Forum

Sunday was observed as Frederick Douglass day by the Forum and the principal address of the afternoon program was given by Professor Kelly Miller, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences of Howard University, Washington, D. C. Vocal and instrumental solos were rendered by the choral boys of this city, and Mrs. King and Miss Emily Howard, of Steelton. The original speech of Frederick Douglass, under the auspices of William Lloyd Garrison, and which first gave him public attention, was read by Dr. M. H. Layton.

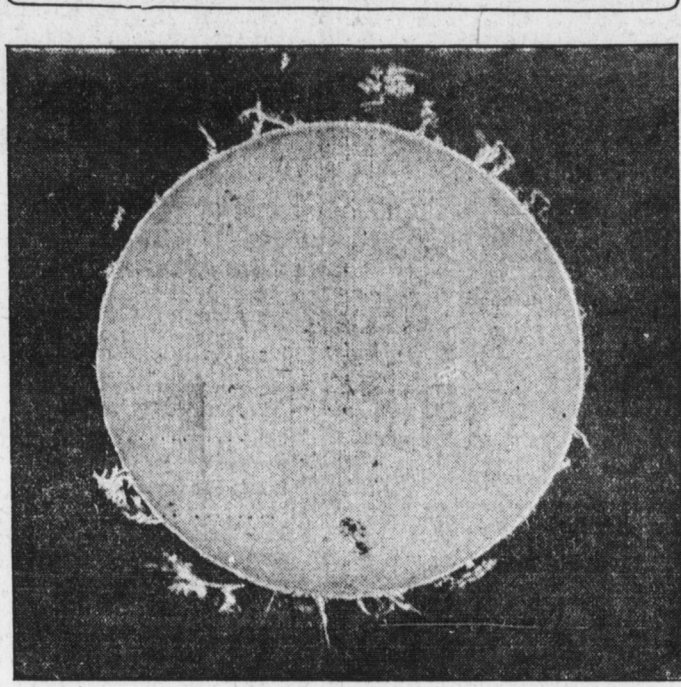
Dr. Anna Shaw Declines Re-election So She Can Get Out on Firing Line

New York, Nov. 22.—In a statement issued to-day explaining her decision not to stand for re-election as president of the National Woman Suffrage Association, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw announces that she planned making vigorous campaigns in Iowa, South Dakota and West Virginia and wants off the executive board.

Death of Secretary to the Governor Regretted by Many Harrisburg People

Governor Brumbaugh and a number of prominent State officials together with the attaches of the Executive Department and representatives of other branches of the State government, attended the funeral services of James S. Hiatt, late private secretary of the Governor, this afternoon at his home in Bellevue Park. The services were conducted by Dr. Albert Russell, of the Friends Institute, Baltimore, Md., in accordance with the customs of the Society of Friends. The body will be taken to Richmond, Ind., to-night for burial in the family plot.

280,000-MILE FLAME DARTS OUT FROM SUN



How would you like to see a tongue of fire that would reach 40,000 miles further than the distance from your front door step to the moon? The moon's surface is 240,000 miles away. Quite a flame, eh? Professor S. H. Mitchell, formerly of Columbia University and now head of the Department of Astronomy of the University of Virginia, will show you how such a tongue of flame looks when viewed with the special instruments of the astronomer in a lecture on "Our Giant Neighbor in the Heavens," at 8:15 to-night in the Technical High School. The weird object above is one of the remarkable views of the sun showing the projecting tongues of flame extending from the orb.

MESSAGE TO TELL HOW TO PROVIDE DEFENSE MONEY

President Will Indicate How Coin Should Be Raised; Bond Issue Opposed

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—President Wilson will indicate in his annual message to Congress, which he is now writing, how, in his opinion, the money necessary to provide for national defense as proposed by the administration may be raised.

PROMINENT MEN AT HIATT SERVICE

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American Ship Boarded by British Prize Crew

New York, Nov. 22.—The seizure of the American steamer Genesee by a British cruiser was reported to the American Trans-Atlantic Company yesterday by her master, Fred Basmus, from St. Lucia, British West Indies. Captain Basmus, in a cable dispatch said that the Genesee which cleared from Norfolk, October 14, with a cargo of coal for Montevideo was taken to St. Lucia by a prize crew from the cruiser.

SPEECH RETURNS TO GIRL PENNED UP TWELVE YRS.

Grace Marshall Kept Prisoner by Father Talks When She Sees Apple; Physical Wreck

Easton, Md., Nov. 22.—Grace Marshall, the young woman, whose father and stepmother are charged with having imprisoned her in their home near St. Michaels for nearly 12 years, spoke to-day for the first time since her liberation last Friday. She asked for an apple she saw on the table of her room in her aunt's home where she is under the care of a physician.

Miss Marshall was imprisoned, it is alleged, after attempting to elope, at the age of 16, with a man whom her father disapproved. Relatives thought her dead. Marshall said he considered the girl crazy and that as he could not afford to send her to an institution he thought the only thing to do was to lock her up in her room. When released she weighed but 57 pounds. Marshall is said to have admitted that the woman's stepmother was the only person who had seen her during the last three years.

HERSHEY SAYS HE DIDN'T GET THE RIGHT FOUNTAIN

Chocolate King Furthermore Wants \$2,066.67 of His Money Back

DONATO ASKS \$26,000

Court Refuses Plea to Dismiss Case—Manufacturer to Take Stand

The \$25,000 fountain which Giuseppe Donato sculptured for Milton S. Hershey, the "chocolate king," isn't the fountain Hershey ordered at all—he never got it and never wanted it. Furthermore he wants the sculptor to pay back the \$2,066.67 he received on account.

Two British Steamers Sink; Another Is Aground

London, Nov. 22, 12:35 P. M.—The British steamships Hallamshire, 4,420 tons gross, and Merzanser, 1,905 tons, have been sunk. Their crews were saved.

SON GETS BULK OF WIDENER ESTATE

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—The will of the late Peter A. B. Widener, admitted to probate to-day, leaves the bulk of his estate, estimated between \$50,000,000 and \$70,000,000 to his son, Joseph E. Widener. Joseph E. Widener, under the terms of the will, is given complete authority over his father's collection of paintings and art work, considered one of the most valuable in America.

TEUTONS NEARING SECOND SERB CAPITAL

London, Nov. 22.—The drive of the Teutonic allies in Serbia is nearing Mitrovitza where the Serbian capital was removed after the Bulgarian invasion in the south gained headway. The forcing of a passage into the Lab Valley both north and south of Padujevo is reported to-day by Berlin. Padujevo lies about twenty miles east of Mitrovitza and approximately fifteen miles north of Pristina.

ALLIES BEGIN NEW OFFENSIVE

Rotterdam, Nov. 22, via London, 3:07 P. M.—The Cologne Gazette reports that a great offensive movement has been initiated at the Dardanelles by the allies.

FLOTILLA OF BRITISH U-BOATS IN BALTIC

Copenhagen, Nov. 22.—Via London, 1:39 P. M.—The passage of a large flotilla of British submarines variously estimated at from 10 to 25, into the Baltic is given here as an explanation of the recent naval activity in the Cattagat where both German and British destroyer flotillas have been sighted.

CAPTURE 2,600 SERBIANS

Berlin, Nov. 22, via London.—The capture of more than 2,600 Serbians was announced by the German war office to-day. Five cannon and four machine guns were taken in the field operations, while in the Novipazar arsenal fifty large mortars and eight cannon of an old type were found.

BOMB PLOTTERS TO BE RUN DOWN BY GOVERNMENT

Mountains of Evidence Against \$40,000,000 Organization Will Go Before Jury

HUNDREDS ARE INVOLVED

U. S. Determined to Break Up Whole Field of Foreign Criminal Activity

New York, Nov. 22.—All the evidence gathered by agents of the United States government here bearing on plots to prevent war munitions from reaching the entente allies will be submitted to the federal grand jury within a short time, probably this week. It is understood that when the presentation is complete a blanket indictment will be asked against all the persons shown to be involved, except such as may be exempt under the law.

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WANTS UNIFORMITY OF SIGNALS AND CORNER COPS ON DUTY 24 HOURS

Uniformity of traffic signals and the retention of traffic officers on duty at congested points in the business districts throughout the twenty-four hours of the day are among the police measures Mayor-elect Ezra S. Meals says he will put into effect immediately after the present system when the "corner man" goes off duty on "relief" he travels a beat in some distant point in the city as a rule; at the changing of the corner stations there is always

MARKET CLOSING IRREGULAR

New York, Nov. 22.—Weakness in New Haven and some activity at higher prices in coppers and minor oils featured the final hour in Wall Street. The closing was irregular. To-day's session was the duller of any full session in several months. Rails were hesitant, with variable gains in specialties.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Anthou Kuhn and Thersa Schmidt, Progress. Sol. Scholberg, city, and Minnie C. Lesky, Steelton.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair, slightly colder to-night with freezing temperature; Tuesday fair, continued cold. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair to-night and Tuesday; colder to-night in north portion; fresh west winds.